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TO BE SHOT FOR MURDER

Guilty Man Lured Victim to Lonely Spot To Kill Him.

Fears of Turkish Massacre—Spanish Boy Adrift on Ocean Ten Days.

(Scripps News Association.)
New York, Aug. 13.—A Morgan liner just in from Galveston brought a boy of eleven years, and small for his size, that the steamer picked up off the Cuban coast in a most deplorable condition.
It is a most pathetic case. The boy says he and two companions were fishing from a boat off Havana when the boat was swamped. His two older companions swam ashore and not being able to swim he had no choice but to remain with the boat, drifting five days as near as he could keep account, and all this time without food or water.
Captain Morgan of the liner thinks the boy must have been adrift ten days as the place he was picked up is fully five hundred miles from Havana.

Turkish Revolution.
(Scripps News Association.)
Sofia, Bulgaria, Aug. 13.—Turkish insurgents are daily becoming more fearless in their aggressions. They seem to court publicity instead of attempting to conceal their hostility to the government for the protection it seeks to give Christian subjects.

There are grave fears of a massacre of Christians, the apprehension among the unprotected people of that faith increasing daily.

Convict News.
(Scripps News Association.)
Sacramento, Aug. 13.—There is nothing new from the bunch of penitentiary convicts that are in hiding in Amador county according to last reports.
A Marysville rumor says Convict Howard was seen going north dressed in khaki. One other of the gang is believed to have gained Nevada.

Penitentiary Changes.
(Scripps News Association.)
Salem, Or., Aug. 13.—Edward A. McPherson, warden of the Oregon state penitentiary, and Jay J. McCormick, chapel guard, have resigned their positions and leave the prison tonight.

Both men have contemplated this move for some time. McPherson will return to Portland, his home at the time he accepted service under the state.
It is believed that Deputy Warden Smith will be promoted to the vacant position.

To be Shot for Murder.
(Scripps News Association.)
Salt Lake, Utah, Aug. 13.—The Supreme Court of Utah handed down a decision today in the appeal of Peter Mortenson, the murderer of James Hay in December, 1901, affirming the decision of the lower court.

The case is remanded back to the inferior court with directions that the trial judge re-sentence the convicted man to be shot. (Utah shoots criminals convicted of murder in the first degree in place of hanging.)

It has been a celebrated case. Mortenson was very religious, a Sunday school superintendent. He lured Hay to a lonely spot, shot him to death in the back and took from his body a note for \$2500 that he had given the murdered man on account of indebtedness of the lumber firm of which he was a member. He had made sure that Hay had the note on his person before killing him.

Mortenson went home and that same evening led the prayer meeting. Since held in jail he asserts that God will punish anyone who harms his servant.
Physicians who have examined Mortenson say he is not the least crazy but seeks to make religion a cloak to cover his crime.

ENLARGING DEPOT YARDS

Southern Pacific Co. Purchased Lots from E. L. Chambers—Option on Others.

A deed conveying about two lots at West Third and Lincoln streets, north of the railroad and immediately east of the Eugene Planing Mill Company's plant, from E. L. Chambers to the Oregon & California Railroad Company, Southern Pacific Company lessee, was recorded in the county clerk's office today.
This means the extension of the railroad company's depot yards in this city to the west for a distance of nearly a block and is in line with the extensive improvements to be made in the yards, as heretofore announced by the Guard.

Between these lots just acquired by the company and the western line of the depot yard is another lot owned by R. McMurphy, but the company has an option on it, the Guard is informed, and the transfer will probably be made in a short time.

THE YARD IMPROVEMENTS.
The Guard has known for a certainty that extensive improvements were to be made in the yards, and prominent officials have given out information to that effect, but they have been very reticent in stating when this work will be done. Some time ago it was announced that the warehouses on this side of the tracks were to have been moved to the other side right away and contracts were let for moving them, but for some reason the work has not been done, and it was supposed by many that the improvements were postponed, but the purchase of these additional lots, by the company, gives rise to the belief that the work on the yards will be commenced this fall.

When the big bridge across the Willamette at Springfield is built and the connecting link between the main line and the Wendling branch is finished, considerable more yard room will be necessary to provide terminal facilities here, hence the purchase of this additional strip of land.

Note and Comment.

John Paul Jones, Traveling Passenger Agent of the Southern Pacific Company, is rapidly becoming famous for his Hermesque hand-shake. Whenever an acquaintance sees him his arm commences advancing involuntarily and a good long shake ensues. Too bad John is not a politician.

Another sad reminder of the irony of fate comes home to us as we read of the sudden death of O. S. Munger, hundreds of miles from home and his family 70 miles from a telegraph station. When this is read the bereaved wife and five sons are probably just hearing the news in Eastern Oregon of the demise of husband and father which happened Tuesday morning.

The Register may have all the glory out of the boat race in its half-page advertisement of itself that it is "The only paper in Eugene boasting a clean-cut, paid circulation." Nothing to boast about.

Five years ago today Manila surrendered to the American army and navy. It marked the beginning of the jealousy of the Filipinos and the war with the insurgents broke out shortly afterwards. With many of our young men the anniversary has a more vivid meaning than mere history can impart.

No other order or lodge has the sad duty of attending so many funerals as the G. A. R. Posts of the country. Never a week goes by, even in a state so sparsely settled as Oregon, without the record of death being made opposite the name of some respected soldier who fought his country's battles when a youth. And the funerals will grow more and more frequent as the years roll on.

GRAIN TURNING OUT PRETTY WELL

From a number of farmers in town today the Guard learns that the grain crop this year is turning out quite well, in some places much better than expected. Taking the county as a whole the crop is considered a good one. Threshing is in full blast everywhere and consequently the farmers are very busy.

Caldwell-Davidson.
Wednesday, August 12, Miss Stella Davidson of this city, was married to Mr. Willis Caldwell, of Stayton. Rev. W. A. Elkins, pastor of the Christian church at Stayton, officiated.

FIREBUGS AT ALBANY

Three Business Houses Set on Fire Tuesday Night.

Fire Set in a Planing Mill, a Saloon and a Cabinet Maker's Shop

Albany, Or., Aug. 13.—A daring and very sensational attempt was made Tuesday night to destroy a large portion of the business and manufacturing sections of Albany. The rear of the Last Chance saloon was set on fire at 9 o'clock in the evening, but the fire was discovered before any damage was caused.

At 3 o'clock yesterday morning fire was discovered in the Albany Planing Company's mill and as soon as this was extinguished the shop of Roehner Brothers, cabinet makers, was discovered on fire. All these fires were plain and undeniable cases of incendiarism.

Shavings and other combustible materials were found arranged ready to be set on fire in the storehouse of the Albany Iron Works, but had not been ignited. The buildings are in the central part of the city, the manufacturing establishments being along the water front. Had any of the fires secured headway, several of Albany's leading industries would have been destroyed. The police think they have a strong clue to the identity of the incendiary. It was one of the boldest attempts at incendiarism on record, but was poorly executed. The affair has caused great excitement here.

NEW REAL ESTATE FIRM LAUNCHED

Eugene has a new real estate office to become acquainted with. The new firm will bear the name of Williams, Denhart & Wells. The individuals are O. W. Williams, formerly of La Grande and a first class real estate man there; Henry Denhart, of Eugene, formerly of Pipestone, Minn., where he was a real estate dealer, and J. G. Wells, recent arrival from Chicago, a practicing lawyer and a shrewd business man.

The gentlemen will conduct their business with office rooms at 4 and 5 in the First National Bank building, where they hope to establish a record of fairness and square dealing with the public.

The new firm will be ready for business immediately.

Roseburg Lost.

At Marshfield Tuesday afternoon, the Coos Bay league baseball team of that city defeated the Roseburg club by a score of 3 to 2. Kostal occupied the box for Roseburg and the game lasted 10 innings. Not a run was made on either side until the ninth inning. Roseburg made two runs in her half and an error by Kostal allowed Marshfield to tie the score in the remaining half of the inning. Marshfield won the game in the next inning by shutting out Roseburg and sending a man across the plate. This shows that the Coos Bay and Valley league teams are pretty evenly matched.

Married in Portland.

Mrs. Allie Eastham, of Eugene, and Mr. M. S. Wallis, also of Eugene, were united in marriage Tuesday, August 11, in Portland. The couple will arrive in Eugene in a few days where they will probably make their home.

A 20-Cent Hop Offer.

Salem, Or., Aug. 13.—It is reported that 20 cents has been offered in Salem within the last two days for contracts for hops of the crop of 1903. While the information comes from a reliable source, the names of the men making the offer are not given. Several days ago 17 1/2 cents a pound was offered by a leading firm for contract hops, and the raise to 20 cents is said to be due to advices that the German crop is turning out poorly.

A huge shaft in the Wendling mill broke suddenly yesterday afternoon and the entire force was laid off. A new shaft arrived this afternoon and is being hauled up this evening. Saturday or Monday will be the earliest that the mills can resume operations.

Joe Lyons, of Drain, is in the city.

FRIENDLY'S WEDNESDAY'S SURPRISE SALE

WE SHALL INAUGURATE a series of Wednesday Surprise Sales in which we will give the greatest possible values, and the price reductions in all our ads will be made from the regular selling price of such goods and not from FICTITIOUS PRICES so many use in ads to make the price reductions look "big". For instance, if we advertise a \$1.25 article for \$1.00 you may depend upon it that \$1.25 is the regular retail price and not a fictitious one. Every article we advertise we guarantee to be just as advertised now and always, and the good name of the pioneer store of Eugene stands back of every statement made here. We want your confidence in our ADS as well as in our GOODS.

Here is a real treat for all prudent buyers in the first of our WEDNESDAY'S SURPRISE SALES. We shall place on sale next Wednesday all our SUMMER WASH FABRICS that are suitable for Shirt Waists, Fancy Costumes, Shirt Waist Suits, Kimonos, Wrappers, and the like at

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LOT NO. 1. HALF PRICE	LOT NO. 2. ONE-THIRD OFF
Plain and figured Lawns, Fancy figured Swisses, Fancy Madras Suitings which sold regularly at 10c, 15c, 17c and 25c. Wednesday's Surprise HALF PRICE.	Striped and figured Lawns, Figured and dotted Swisses and Dimities, Fancy striped Waists, ings, plain colored and dotted Batiste, Grenadines, that sold at 12 1/2c, 15c, 18c, 20c, 30c, 50c, and 75c.
SEE OUR WINDOW AND READ OUR ADS	WEDNESDAY'S SURPRISE ONE-THIRD OFF.

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The larder should be well supplied, even if your guest will accept only a cup of tea and a cracker. By the way, if you want to reach the hearts of the little folks, be sure to have on hand a goodly quantity of ginger snaps, fig buns and soda crackers. For the elders and youngsters, as well as always carry in stock the best.

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Ladies' Turns, French heels	1.00
200 prs Children's Shoes 5 to 8	.50
100 prs Ladies' black lace shoes, all sizes	1.15
60 prs Ladies' French heel strap sandals	1.00
172 prs Baby Shoes, 2 to 5 1/2, black and red	.50
80 prs Child's patent leathers, velvet tops	1.00
60 prs Child's blue and white top patents	1.00

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